

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS
LOK SABHA**

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PAYMENT OF COMPENSATION
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Will the Minister of ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS be pleased to state:

- (a) whether the Government have since examined the report of the committee constituted in 1999 for preparing a structured formula with regard to compensation to be given to the family members of the persons who die in road accidents;
- (b) if so, the details of recommendations made therein; and
- (c) the time by which the said recommendations are likely to be implemented?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT AND HIGHWAYS [MAJOR GENERAL (RETD.) B.C. KHANDURI]

(a) to (c) The said Committee recommended that the existing structured formula needs to be rationalised by having a simpler multiplier to the annual income in different age groups as against complicated provisions of the existing schedule. Any change in the existing structured compensation formula would require amendment in a number of provisions of the Motor Vehicles Act, 1988. Hence, no time frame for the various changes can be indicated at this juncture.